

A DIRE CALAMITY.

Chicago Again Visited by a Stubborn Fire.

A NUMBER OF PERSONS DEAD

And Several Seriously Injured by Jumping from the Burning Building—Sad Fate of Firemen Buried by Falling Walls—Many Were the Narrow and Thrilling Escapes.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—It was a few minutes before 9 o'clock yesterday morning when Rose Brace, employed by Stern & Peters, noticed an odor of smoke. She was working near a door and, stepping out into a hallway, her suspicions were confirmed. The corridors were rapidly filling with smoke and she ran back into the work room. Thirty girls were there.

"Fire! Fire! the building is on fire!" the frightened girl cried as she dashed past her companions.

Instantly there was confusion. Following the example of the girl who had given the alarm, a score or more employees ran here and there, not knowing what to do or where to go.

Although every effort was made to control the frightened girls, several opened the windows and climbed out on the ledges. One of the first to do this was Nellie Turner. She screamed for help and some one on the ground shouted to her to jump. She, however, went to another window near a fire escape and climbed out. Those on the street watched her movements with great anxiety. She grasped the escape and swung herself off from the stone ledge upon which she had stood, and landed on the street below cheered. She commenced to descend. Officer Faherty was also on the fire escape between the first and second story, and when he saw the girl above him he hastened up to aid her. He was too late. She suddenly lost her balance and fell. Officer Faherty tried to catch her but could not reach her. She was picked up unconscious.

By noon the firemen thought the worst of the day's battle was past. They were mistaken. Shortly before 1 o'clock a large safe on the fifth floor fell to the fourth, carrying it and the third, second and first with it. Five men, members of Eugene Company No. 2, were working on the second floor, and all were buried beneath the mass of brick, stone and timber. All were killed but Daniel McNally.

After nearly an hour's work, the rescuers had opened a passageway through the pile of debris, and succeeded in getting close enough to where the firemen were buried to assure themselves that Lieutenant O'Donnell was alive. He was able to talk, and it was with great difficulty that his words could be heard. Men who knew him well recognized his voice.

"Is any one near you?" one of the rescuers shouted.

"Yes," came back the answer faintly from O'Donnell.

"How many?"

"Two."

Gradually the lieutenant's voice became weaker and his reply to the last question was scarcely audible. The rescuers called to him and asked him how seriously he was injured. He could not make reply.

The fire soon broke out again and the rescuers were compelled to abandon their work.

O'Donnell's dead body was recovered at 7 o'clock last night.

The Dead.
Patrick J. O'Donnell, lieutenant of engine company No. 2.
Martin Sherrick, pipeman.
John Dwyer, p.p.m.
John Prange, pipeman: all the firemen were crushed by falling debris.

Katie Landgraf, jumped from fourth story window, internally injured, died at county hospital.

The Injured.
Harry Neil, jumped from fourth story window, internally injured, left arm broken, will die.
Nellie Turner, jumped from third story window, internally injured, will die.

Aggie McLain, overcome by smoke, will recover.
Alga Keller, overcome by smoke, will recover.
Hattie Brenner, overcome by smoke, will recover.
Edna Ritter, overcome by smoke, will recover.
Mary Pink, overcome by smoke, will recover.

Daniel McNally, driver for engine company No. 2, buried beneath debris, will recover.

Hanlon 2, Baber 2.
GUMSTON, Nov. 23.—By a boat launch and a half Hanlon yesterday won the fourth trial heat in a series of five for the English championship on Dickson river. The races now stands: Hanlon 2, Baber 2.

Five Villages Destroyed by Kurds.
LONDON, Nov. 23.—A telegram from Van states that the Kurds have destroyed five villages in the neighborhood of that town, and out of the 13,000 villagers driven away only 3,000 can be found.

Ended His Troubles.
HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Nov. 23.—At Thacker Thomas Davies committed suicide by blowing out his brains with a revolver in the office of the Thacker Coal and Coke company.

BARELY ESCAPED.

Drawbridge Disaster Narrowly Averted at Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 23.—A narrow escape from another frightful bridge disaster occurred at 2:30 o'clock Friday morning on the Superior street viaduct. Three streetcars were waiting for the draw to be closed. In front was a car from the Scoville avenue line. It was on the west side of the viaduct, next to the draw, and back of it a few feet was a Wade Park avenue car. About 50 feet back was a Woodland avenue car.

While the motormen were waiting for the draw to swing they deserted their posts of duty and were gossiping among themselves when the rear car started up at a lively rate of speed. When the motorman left the car the safety cut off had shut off the current and the man did not turn the lever so that the car would not start up. Suddenly the current started again and the streetcar bounded forward.

The Woodland car dashed forward at a terrific speed. The full power of the current was upon it and eyewitnesses say that in the few feet it went before striking the Wade park car it must have attained a speed of fully 12 miles an hour.

People standing on the bridge yelled to the passengers in all the cars to jump. The cars were well filled and the wildest panic immediately followed.

With a terrific crash the two cars, smashing dashboards on both cars, but the Woodland car did not stop here. No one had yet shut off the current and the Woodland car forced the Wade park car forward against the Scoville avenue car. Luckily it happened that the brake on the latter was set tightly. Nevertheless it was driven forward fully 12 feet, and when it finally came to a stop was within a foot of the closed gates.

The struggle of the panic-stricken people inside the cars to escape was fearful. Mrs. George Schindler, the wife of the assistant police prosecuting attorney, was badly injured in jumping and was removed to her home in an ambulance. Other women fainted and had to be taken away in carriages or ambulances.

The Superior street viaduct drawbridge is 90 feet above the river, and had the runaway car not been stopped just when it was a catastrophe rivaling that of last Saturday night on the Central viaduct would undoubtedly have occurred.

THE DYNAMITE LET LOOSE

And Three Men Were Hurled Several Hundred Feet.

LEBANON, Pa., Nov. 23.—One hundred pounds of dynamite, which was being thawed out on a "screen" above a stove in a shanty at the North Lebanon stone quarries, exploded with terrible force, and William Thompson, Harry Hillard and Pierce Pieter who were standing near by were hurled several hundred feet.

Thompson, who stood nearest the building, was terribly injured, his face and body being filled with splinters of wood and small pieces of iron and tin. Almost all his hair was burnt off his head, and he will lose the sight of both eyes. Pieter had his arm broken, but Hillard escaped injury.

FUNERALS OF CONGRESSMEN.

Senator Peffer Says He Wants "Less Champagne and More Tears."

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Senator Peffer has collected statistics on the cost of congressional funerals, and early in the coming session he may advocate a complete change in the methods of conducting them. He wants the cost of the funerals much reduced. He says he wants "less champagne and more tears."

The funeral of one senator, he says, cost \$20,000.

Is David Going to Marry?

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Senator David B. Hill of New York has leased a large house on I street, in the most fashionable quarter of Washington, and expects to take possession soon after the meeting of congress. He is either going to marry or is going to avoid the discomforts of hotel life in the capital.

The Pension Is the Soldier's.

DRS. MOIRNS, Nov. 23.—Judge Hindman, in the district court at Marshalltown, sustains and makes perpetual the temporary injunction issued in June last restraining the soldiers' home management from withholding any part of the pension money of inmates for the support of the institution.

The "Healer" Located.

DENVER, Nov. 23.—Francis Schlatter, the "healer," is resting in seclusion on Joseph Wolf's fruit farm, near Boulder, Colo., and it is assumed that he is fast. The man riding a gray horse in the southern part of the state, who pretends to be Schlatter, is an impostor.

Will Have Four Judges.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Nov. 23.—The constitutional convention took up the judicial articles. It was decided to increase the judges of the supreme court to four instead of three, and their terms of office are changed to eight years instead of six as at present.

Quite a Shortage.

YANKTON, S. D., Nov. 23.—South Dakota officials have completed an appraisal of Defaulter Taylor's land, and find there is still a shortage of \$140,000. Bondsmen will have to make this up, and actions will be begun at once.

Will Meet in Rochester.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—The Knights of Labor general assembly selected Rochester as the place for holding its next annual convention.

"LIBERATION DAY"

Chicago Accords a Reception to Eugene V. Debs.

CAPACITY OF THE HALL TAXED.

His Speech Received With Great Applause by the Audience—Complains of Violation of Constitutional Rights and Speaks at Length on Personal Liberty. In the Slaughter House Case.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—Eugene V. Debs spoke in Central Music hall last night to an audience that taxed the seating and standing capacity of the hall. Most of the leading labor organization were represented, and the reception accorded to the leader of the American Railway union was enthusiastic in the extreme. The speech delivered by Debs, which was received with great applause by his audience, was in substance as follows:

He commenced by saying that in the light of recent judicial proceedings he stood stripped of his constitutional rights as a free man, and that of the most sacred prerogatives of American citizenship, and what was true of himself was true of every other citizen who had the temerity to protest against corporate rule, or question the absolute sway of the money power. It was not the law or the administration of the law of which he complained. It was the flagrant violation of the constitution, the total abrogation of law, and the usurpation of judicial and despotic power by virtue of which he and his colleagues were committed to jail against which he entered his protest, and any honest analysis of the proceedings must sustain the laggard truth of the indictment.

He had been denied a trial. He was charged now with conspiracy, and if guilty should go to the penitentiary. He wanted to be tried by a jury of his peers, and all he asked was a fair trial and no favor. (The conspiracy case is still undispensed of in the United States court.)

He then spoke at great length of "personal liberty" and in defense of the American Railway Union, saying it would have triumphed but for the interference of the federal authorities, which is characterized as "an exhibition of the debauching power of money."

Tonight's demonstration, he said, meant that the American love of liberty was not dead in operation forces to rescue their constitutional liberties from the grasp of monopoly and its mercenary hirelings; that the people were aroused in view of impending perils, and that agitation, organization and unification were to be the future battle cries of men who would not part with their birthright, and who, like Patrick Henry, had the courage to exclaim: "Give me liberty or give me death."

Were he a criminal, guilty of crimes meriting a prison cell, he would have his hand against the life or liberty of his fellow men, had he ever sought to flinch their good names, he would not be on the platform. He would have led from the banners of civilization and lived in a cave where the voice of his kindred would be heard. But he is standing before his hearers without a self-consciousness of crime or criminal intent, festered in his conscience in the sunlight once more, contributing as best he could to make this "Liberation Day" a memorial day, realizing that, as Lowell sang, "Back true to God who's true to man wherever."

"To the humblest and weakest death the all-beholding sun."
"That wrong is also done to us, and they are slaves must be free."
"Whose love of right is for themselves and not for all their race."

COLONIZING ITALIANS.

Inspector of Customs Notified of Their Expected Arrival.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Commissioner General Stamp of the immigration bureau has notified the inspector of customs at New Orleans that the steamship Chataou Yaquim with 700 Italian immigrants will arrive at that port shortly, and directing him to have each immigrant specially examined. These Italians are brought to the country by Mr. Austin Corbin, his purpose being to colonize them on a tract of land belonging to him in southern Arkansas.

Turfmen Indulge in a Fight.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Nov. 23.—George Cadwallader, the well known turfman of Milldale, Ky., attempted to shoot Joe Chin, a Lexington turfman, in the lobby of the Phoenix hotel last night. Chin saw him reach for his gun and knocked him down, causing the blood to flow from his nose quite freely. A bystander pulled Chin off.

Successful Affair.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—The celebration of the nineteenth birthday of Mrs. Robert Keeley, the veteran actress, which took place yesterday at the Lyceum theater, proved to be a most successful affair. An immense concourse of fashionable people and artists attended the reception at the theater.

New Orleans Winter Meeting.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 23.—The winter meeting of the Crescent City Jockey club opens Saturday and will continue for over 100 days. There are about 1,500 horses here, including some of a very high class, and the meeting promises to be the most successful ever held. The track is good.

Freight Wreck.

CERREDO, W. Va., Nov. 23.—At Echo, a small station on the Norfolk and Western railway 20 miles south of here, a freight car in the center of a freight train broke down causing the wreck of 10 cars loaded with grain, meats, etc. Loss estimated at \$30,000.

Another Comet Discovered.

GENEVA, N. Y., Nov. 23.—Professor Brooks, director of Smith observatory, discovered a new comet in constellation Hydra. The comet is large, round and brightish, with a northerly motion. This is the twentieth comet discovered by Professor Brooks.

Agate in Good Talking Order.

BOZEMAN, Nov. 23.—Martin Julian, Robert Fitzsimmons and party are in this city. In an interview Julian says that Corbett must either crawl or accept Stuart's last proposition.

South Carolina Convention.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Nov. 23.—The convention took action last night which validates in this state the divorce granted in other states to a certain extent.

MUST EARN THEIR LIVING.

The Way the City of Mexico Deals With Thieves.

CITY OF MEXICO, Nov. 23.—Two hundred thieves sent down into the hot country from this city have been set to quarrying stone at Peñuelas, near Vera Cruz, the stone being used for harbor improvements. Some among these are very desperate characters, who went to the village of Atoyaca and attacked a shop kept by two Frenchmen. When one Frenchman resisted the robbery of the shop he was murdered by the thieves. The police gave chase, and one thief threw himself over a cliff and was dashed to pieces. The policy of sending away great batches of thieves will be maintained, the policy being to rid the city of desperate characters and make them earn a living.

The prefect of the town of Guadalupe is showing the heads of female thieves with such good effect that they are leaving the place.

DIANAS IN THE CHASE.

Girls Had Great Luck on Their First Day's Hunt.

NEW CASTLE Pa., Nov. 23.—Rockville, in Scott township, the county, has a club composed of young ladies that borders on the "coming woman" idea. The club is composed of the daughters of wealthy farmers. A day or two ago the members of the club went on a hunting expedition, and, after being in the woods the greater part of the day, met in the evening, when they had 15 rabbits, half a dozen quail and one wild goose. They propose to have another hunt in a day or two.

SWEPT BY FIRE.

Oklahoma Crops and Buildings at the Mercy of the Flames.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Nov. 23.—A disastrous prairie fire has been raging in Pottawatomie county and the Seminole reservation for three days, sweeping scores of farms of their crops and buildings. A terrific blizzard from the north fanned the flames into a fierce torrent, sweeping everything before it. Horses and cattle are being caught and burned to death, and if the wind continues many lives will be lost.

HORRIBLY MUTILATED.

The Result of a Fight Near Bee Springs, Kentucky.

BROWNSVILLE, Ky., Nov. 23.—In a quarrel over the ownership of a hog, near Bee Springs, 17 miles west of here, Will P. Lindsay struck Ben Bullock in the abdomen with an ax, completely disemboweling him. Bullock is but 19.

No Hope for Hop Growers.

LONDON, Nov. 23.—The Marquis of Salisbury in reply to a deputation from the National Association of Hop Growers which called upon him to complain of the depression in their business, said that he could not hold out any hope of an import duty being placed upon any article of general consumption.

Laid Up by Bad Roads.

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Nov. 23.—The horseless carriage from New York which was making a trip from that city to Chicago, was put in a freight car at this city and the rest of the journey will be made by rail. Bad roads are the cause of the abandonment of the trip.

Now in a Courtroom.

GEORGETOWN, Ky., Nov. 23.—Secretary of State John W. Headley created a small panic in the courtroom there yesterday afternoon by attempting to stab Attorney John Brand. The men were on opposite sides of a case on a trial and quarrelled.

For Governor of West Virginia.

ELLENBORO, W. Va., Nov. 23.—The friends of Hon. P. W. Morris, author of the famous West Virginia schoolbook bill, are urging him to be a candidate for the Republican nomination for governor. He will likely be a candidate.

Steamer Ashore.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—A dispatch to the Merchants' Exchange reports the steamer Bandorille, running between foreign ports, ashore at Empire City. Or. Captain Winant was drowned. No particulars.

New Yorkers at Atlanta.

ATLANTA, Nov. 23.—The 11 train loads of New Yorkers en route to Atlanta began arriving here yesterday afternoon. They came to celebrate New York day, which occurs next Monday.

Charged With Criminal Assault.

DETROIT, Nov. 23.—A warrant was issued for the arrest of J. Blair Simpson, one of the justices of the peace of this city. He is charged with attempted criminal assault upon Mary A. McCauley, 22.

Strangled His Wife.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—To obtain \$45 the life was strangled out of Mrs. Maggie Breckman, and her husband, Hugo Breckman, is under arrest charged with the commission of the crime.

The Weather.

For Ohio—Cloudy with rain; rain probably light, with a northerly portion; tonight: mostly cloudy, with a northerly wind; for Indiana—Threatening weather and rain; northerly wind, and colder; for West Virginia—Threatening weather and rain; probably colder tonight; easterly winds.

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POINTS OF TRADE

Touched Upon in R. G. Dun's Weekly Review.

PRICES OF PRODUCTS ARE LOWER.

No Reaction in Business and No Sign of a Panic—Wheat and Corn Lower and Pork Products Weakening—Iron and Steel Declining—Cotton and Woolen Goods Hold Their Own—Failures.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—R. G. Dun & Company's weekly review of trade says: Reaction in business there is none. Efforts to explain it, or to attribute it to this or that temporary influence, are all wasted. In every business men now perceive the fact that the purchases in advance of current distribution, which were made when prices were booming, involved of necessity a season of halting when the rise stopped, and until the actual demand for consumption has been measured.

Products are lower, without disturbance or sign of panic. The more sober estimates of wheat months ago rose 30,000,000 or more above the government and speculative guesses, and prices have again declined about 1 cent. Corn declines 1 cent further. Pork products also have reason for weakening; lard 15 cents per 100 pounds, and pork 25 cents per barrel.

The cotton market has been assailed all the week by small receipts and remarkably stiff statements of scarcity. It seems to be a decisive fact that exports are small, partly because stocks abroad are heavy and partly because the manufacture abroad does not find a market for the usual quantity of goods, the British being especially embarrassed. In this country the cotton manufacture has fared better than most others, escaping an excessive rise and a resulting decline.

The opening of clay works by two mills at advanced prices has not yet been followed by others, and it is doubted whether foreign prices after London wool sales next week will be helpful.

Iron and steel products are lower, averaging 1 percent for the week and 7 percent from the highest. Bessemer, anthracite No. 1 and bar are quoted lower, while sales below quotations are frequent. There is competition for orders, most works having little ahead, and new business is remarkably small. The demand for cheap boots and shoes is a shade better, but many shops are idle or working part time, and buyers generally hold off, although considerable reductions are now offered by manufacturers on men's split shoes and on grain, oil grain, glove and buff polish and polka shoes.

Failures for the week have been 320 in the United States against 321 last year, and 42 in Canada against 51 last year.

AFFAIRS IN CUBA.

Insurgents Appear to Still Be in Force in Province of Santa Clara.

HAVANA, Nov. 23.—An insurgent force of 1,500 men has burned the villages of Guines and Miranda, near Trinidad, south of Sancti Spiritus, in the province of Santa Clara, from which vicinity General Maximo Gomez, the insurgent leader, was recently reported to have been driven across the river Zaza.

An insurgent detachment under the leadership of Biamonte has attacked Fort Flamingo in the Santa Cruz district of the province of Puerto Principe. After an hour's firing the insurgents were compelled to retreat. Biamonte and many of his followers are reported to have been badly wounded.

Approved by Spanish Government.

HAVANA, Nov. 23.—It was officially announced yesterday that the Spanish government approves of all the deportations which have taken place by order of General Campos without distinction or regard for the social positions of the persons sent to the African colonies or elsewhere for taking part in the insurrection or for conspiring against the government.

Political Prisoners Arrested.

HAVANA, Nov. 23.—A dispatch from Pinar del Rio, capital of the province of that name, announces that 21 political prisoners were arrested yesterday at Guanay, not far from Pinar del Rio and were conveyed under escort to the latter place.

SOFT BE HER SLUMBERS.

Orders a Coffin and Proposes to Sleep in It Every Night.

BROWNSBORO, W. Va., Nov. 23.—A coffin has arrived here for Mrs. Nancy Shipp, 79, wife of a retired merchant of Danville, W. Va. Although Mrs. Shipp is in perfect health, she says she will sleep in her coffin each night while living.

Buried Again.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—Theodore Durrant was again brought into the superior court to be sentenced for the murder of Blanche Lamont. The prisoner's counsel requested further time to prepare affidavits in support of a motion for a new trial and the entire matter went over until Wednesday next.

After Many Years.

BOSTON, Nov. 23.—Mrs. Eunice Sabine went through a marriage ceremony with Charles Anderson in 1854, and gave him \$3,000. Later she learned that he had a wife living and left him. He refused to return her money. Recently she sued his estate for the money, with interest, and the jury awarded her \$10,414.

Experiencing a Cold Snap.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 23.—Western Missouri and part of Kansas is experiencing a cold snap, the thermometer having fallen fully 30 degrees since Thursday.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

CELEBRATED CASE.

Large Amount of United Brethren Church Property Involved.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 23.—Judge Taft, in United States circuit court yesterday began the hearing of a celebrated case which is to decide whether the radical or the liberal branch of the church of the United Brethren in Christ shall be entitled to hold a vast amount of church property that belonged to the old United Brethren church before the split in the church which occurred in 1889. The hearing will likely end today.

ROBBERS FOILED.

Four Men Attempt to Hold Up a Deputy County Officer.

WARREN, O., Nov. 23.—Four men attempted to rob Deputy County Auditor C. E. McCorkle almost in the business part of the city last night. Mr. McCorkle had just passed the fellows on the street, when one of them who had on a mask pointed a revolver at him and asked for his money. He jumped to one side and then ran to a place of safety. A search has so far revealed no clue to their hiding place.

SERVED HIM RIGHT.

Married Man Punished for Trifling With a Girl.

SALEM, O., Nov. 23.—Charles Ramsey, who was arrested here and bound over to court charged with representing himself as a single man and trifling with the affections of Lizzie Doually, a 17-year-old domestic, was sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 and cost and three months in the workhouse. Ramsey has a wife and two children in destitute circumstances in this city.

STRUCK BY A TRAIN.

Man Killed While Driving After the Family Physician.

SANUSKY, O., Nov. 23.—While on his way to this city to secure a doctor to attend his sick wife Solomon Brown, an aged resident of Margaretta township, was run into by a Lake Erie and Western passenger train and will die.

Suffocated by Gas.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Nov. 23.—E. H. Jones, engineer at Struthers' blast furnace, upon going home found his wife and three children unconscious from gas which had worked its way underground from the furnace. In attempting to rescue them he was prostrated. Neighbors took the family out, a dead babe resting in its mother's arms. The others will recover.

Repeated the Act.

PATASKALA, O., Nov. 23.—Miss Lee, 20, daughter of William White, a farmer, took arsenic and immediately afterward repeated the act and told her father. A physician was summoned, and by skillful treatment saved the girl's life. The cause of the rash act is not known.

Now It Is Coxy for President.

CANTON, O., Nov. 23.—Ohio Populists have definitely decided to systematically boom General Jacob S. Coxy for their party's presidential nomination. The Coxy boom will be engineered by the showmen among practical politicians in Populist ranks.

An Officer Bound Over.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 23.—Officer Dennis Sullivan, who was arrested for killing William Haghey while escaping arrest several weeks ago, waived examination and was bound over to the grand jury in the sum of \$3,000.

Let Us Get Columbus Franchise.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—At last night's meeting of the Western Baseball league, T. J. Loftus of Dubuque, Ia., was awarded the franchise of Columbus, O.

She Got Drunk.

ATHENS, O., Nov. 23.—Mrs. Charles Whitmore was awarded \$300 damages against John Price, who sold liquor to her husband, an habitual drunkard.

Why Did She Do It?

DEARBORN, O., Nov. 23.—Miss Rachel Morgan, wealthy and cultured old maid, shot herself with suicidal intent and will die.

Date of State Fair.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 23.—The time for holding the state fair next year has been fixed for Aug. 31 to Sept. 5, inclusive.

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IT WAS ONE SIDED.

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FOOT BALL GAME.

Marion Wins by a Score of 20 to 0 by Ex-
cellent Playing. Individually and as a
Team—Small Attendance—Notes of the
Game.

The Findlay Y. M. C. A. team came
down Friday to conquer the local Y. M.
C. A. team at foot ball, but went home
vanquished.

It was decided to divide the game
into twenty and twenty-five minute
halves and L. V. McNeal was chosen
umpire, Will P. Wisely, of Findlay,
referee and Peter Hostler, of Findlay,
timekeeper.

But a small attendance was present
at the fair grounds at 2 o'clock, the
hour at which the game was called.
Findlay won the toss-up and kicked
off. The kick was returned and the
ball was advanced to the 10-yard line
by Marion. Marion then pushed the
ball through the Findlay center down
the field. For the next ten minutes no
progress was made. Marion then pushed
ball to Findlay's 5-yard line, but
Findlay secured the ball and attempted
to kick. Marion got through the line
and blocked the ball and king se-
curing it made a touch-down. Whyte
failed to kick goal. Findlay kicked off
and Marion secured the ball and was
fast pushing it to the goal when time
was called. Score 1 to 0 in favor of
Marion.

Marion kicked off and after a slight
fumble secured the ball and pushed it
through Findlay's line for almost the
entire length of the field, making a
touch-down. The remainder of the half
consisted in line plays by the local
team, the Marion boys pushing through
Findlay's line and blocking every play
by Findlay, resulting in three touch-
downs and two goals for Marion, mak-
ing the score 20 to 0 in favor of the
local team.

The Marion line was invincible
throughout the game, although the
Findlay team will average up to the
local team in weight, hence it was by
being outplayed that the Findlay boys
lost the game, which, by the way, was
their first defeat.

The features for the game were a long
run by Whyte and another by Danny
Evans, both due to excellent interfe-
rence, some magnificent line bucking by
Rapp, fine defensive play by King and
the carrying of the ball through hard
interference by Findlay by Shute and
Cunningham.

Notes.
Ross showed wonderful improvement
in his work.
Thompson and Fies, as ends, did some
fine tackling.
The Findlay team is a good one, but
it wasn't in it.

The advent of Clyde King into the
team strengthens it.
The Findlay boys say that Captain
Happ can play an ordinary team by
himself.

THIS, THAT AND THE OTHER.

On next Thursday we will partake of
our Thanksgiving turkey. There will
not be many in Marion this year that
will be obliged to spend the day in fast-
ing and giving thanks. Fasting and
thanksgiving is not indulged in much
any more, but the time honored custom
of feasting becomes more popular each
year, and many wonder what they have
to be thankful for. The democracy for
instance.

Jack McLaughlin claims the honor of
having hauled the largest load of coal
ever placed on a wagon in Marion. It
weighed five and one-half tons and was
delivered to the Seva office. He had a
picture of the wagon with load taken.

Merrill A. Turney can truly say that
he has a strong friend that never
finds fault with him, even if he knocks
it out, throws it aside and has never
spoken to it. It is his pipe. Merrill
and his pipe find much enjoyment to-
gether, and, come to think of it, Merrill
is a connoisseur in pipes.

Visions of Santa Claus are already
chasing themselves through the minds
of little tots. The other day a Marion
business man's little daughter climbed
on his knee and said: "Papa, what's
Santa Claus going to do for me?" The
father asked the little one what she
wanted. She replied in childish prattle
that she wanted a doll, horse and buggy,
a dog and innumerable things. "But,"
added the little one, "papa where will
Santa Claus get all the money for these
things?"

It is now given out that we are to
have a long, cold winter.

The festive roller skater will com-
mence Thanksgiving afternoon. We
ought to have at least one elopement
this winter.

Thanksgiving Excursion.
Tickets on sale via Big Four Route
November 27 and 28, good returning
November 29, at one and one-third
fare for round trip to points within one
hundred miles.
It

The Funeral of Mrs. R. F. Blair.
The funeral of Mrs. R. F. Blair will
take place at the family residence on
south Main street at 3 o'clock tomorrow.
Sunday afternoon. The services will
be conducted by Rev. W. E. Thomas.

**The U. S. Gov't Reports
show Royal Baking Powder
superior to all others.**

AMONG THE CHURCHES

Y. M. C. A.

Men's meeting 3 p. m., led by the
secretary.

Ministers' Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the minis-
ters' association at 10 a. m., Monday.
Prison.

Free Baptist.

9-10 a. m., Sunday school.

10-11 a. m., preaching.

7-8 p. m., preaching.

D. B. MARTIN, Pastor.

State Street Baptist Church.

Sunday school at 9.

Preaching at 10-30 a. m. and 7-9
p. m.

All are cordially invited.

ALEX. BARKLEY, Pastor.

Evangelical Lutheran Church.

Sunday school 9-10 a. m.

German preaching, 10-15 a. m.

Luther League, 5-30 p. m.

English preaching 8-30 p. m.

All are welcome.

A. L. NICKLAS, Pastor.

Cathedral Evangelical Church.

Sunday school, 9 a. m.

Missionary sermon 10-30 a. m.

Young People's meeting, 6-30 p. m.

Woman's Missionary society enter-
tainment, 7 p. m.

ELIA A. VANDERSAUL, Pastor.

Reformed Church.

Sunday school at 8:15 a. m.

German services, 10 a. m.

Y. P. S. C. E. at 8-00 p. m.

English services at 10 a. m.

All are cordially welcome.

F. C. WITTMORE, Pastor.

Christian Church.

9-10 a. m., Sunday school

10-30 a. m., preaching

3-40 p. m., Junior Endeavor.

6-40 p. m., Y. P. S. C. E.

7-30 p. m., preaching.

All welcome.

A. SKIDMORE, Pastor.

St. Paul's Church.

Twenty-fourth Sunday after Trinity

9-10 a. m.—Sunday school.

10-30 a. m.—Morning service, Litany,
sermon, etc.

7-9 p. m.—Evening service with ser-
mon or address.

Seats free. All welcome.

J. W. AMERSON, Rector.

Presbyterian Church.

Sunday school, 9-10 a. m.

Preaching, 10-30 a. m.

Junior C. E., 3-40 p. m.

Y. P. S. C. E., 5-45 p. m.

Preaching, 7 p. m.

The Sunday school will observe "As-
sociation Day" and the subject of the
morning sermon will be Sunday school
work. Subject of evening sermon:
"Saul an Example of Failure in Life."

W. E. THOMAS, Pastor.

Epworth M. E. Church.

9-10 a. m., Sunday school.

10-30 a. m., preaching, topic, "The
Coming Kingdom"

11-15 a. m. and 3-15 p. m., class
meetings

2-30 p. m., Junior League.

7-9 p. m., annual meeting of the
Woman's Home Missionary society.

Mrs. J. M. AVANN, of Delaware, will be
one of the speakers.

J. L. HOLLMAN, Pastor.

Christian Science.

The Christian science service will be
held at the home of Henry Hazen, cor-
ner of Church and Sargent streets, Sun-
day afternoon at 2-30 o'clock. Subject
"The woes of intemperance," Isa 5:11-
23.

All are cordially invited to the study
of this lesson in the light (truth) of
Christian science as it is of special in-
terest to all. Golden text: "Woe unto
him that giveth his neighbor drink, that
putteth the bottle to him, and maketh
him drunken also," Hab. 2:15.

Bring your bibles.

"The farmer's wife with her carving
knife, cutting off the tails of the three
blind mice," will be at the Presbyterian
church Tuesday evening.

DEADLY DRUGS.

Denounced by Munyon—Harmless Rem-
edies Make Positive Cures Where Dan-
gerous Dosing Fails—Proof from Honest
People Who Have Tried Both Ways.

Mrs. Mangin, 144 W. Twenty-eighth
street, New York City, says: "I was
victimized by allopathic doctors until my
system was filled with poisonous
drugs, and at last I declared I would
never take another dose of allopathic
medicine. I read a great deal about
Munyon's new remedies and determined
to try them, so last winter when I
was attacked by the grip I sent to the
drug store for Munyon's Cough and
Cold Cure. The first dose relieved me
of the frightful pain, and in a few hours
I was able to sit up. I was so delight-
ed with the prompt cure that I have
used Munyon's remedies ever since,
and always with wonderful success."

The Munyon remedies are absolutely
harmless and effect prompt cures. A
separate specific for each disease. Sold
by druggists, mostly for 25 cents a
bottle.

Munyon's Rheumatism Cure never
fails to relieve in 1 to 3 hours and cures
in a few days. Price 25 cents.

Munyon's Dyspepsia Cure is guaran-
teed to cure all forms of indigestion
and stomach troubles. Price 25 cents.

Munyon's Catarrh Remedies pos-
itively cure. Price 25 cents each.

Munyon's Kidney Cure speedily cures
pains in the back, hips or groin, and
all forms of kidney disease. Price, 25
cents.

Munyon's Vitalizer restores lost
power to weak men. Price, \$1.

Personal letters to Prof. Munyon,
1565 Arch street, Philadelphia, Pa., an-
swered with free medical advice for any
disease.

PLAN WORTH TRYING

THE TORRENS LAND TITLE SYSTEM
ADOPTED IN CHICAGO

A Scheme by Which Government Guar-
antees as Well as Registers Titles to Real
Estate—Will Make Land a Much More
Desirable Investment.

A question of some moment to the
welfare of Chicago was answered in the
affirmative on election day by the voters
of that city. The question was whether
the Torrens land title system should be
adopted, and the proposal was accepted
by the handsome majority of 77,000.
Many of our states have borrowed their
land systems from Australia, but the
city and county of Chicago is the first
American community to recognize how
powerful a stimulus to rapid and exten-
sive development would be given by
the application of another Australian
invention—namely, the Torrens scheme
for the guaranteeing as well as register-
ing of the titles to real estate.

What is the land title scheme, which,
from the name of its deviser, has be-
come known all over the English speak-
ing world as the Torrens system?

The fundamental motive of the plan
is rooted deep about the roots of individ-
ualism as opposed to socialism. It is
based on the conviction that it is the
interest of a decentralized, self govern-
ing, truly democratic state to promote
the multiplication of homes owned by
their occupants, or, in other words, to
give the largest possible number of citi-
zens a stake in the country. To that
end an obvious means would be the re-
moval of the causes which in English
speaking communities have rendered
real estate a much less desirable in-
vestment than personal property for the
savings of poor men or men of modest
income, owing partly to the heavy in-
cidental expenses connected with all
dealings in the former species of prop-
erty, and partly to the vastly greater
ease and rapidity with which the latter
species could be sold or used as security
for a loan.

All the causes which tend to hold
back the mass of a people from placing
their surplus in real estate were swept
away at a stroke by the so-called Torrens
land act, which first became a law in
South Australia, but which, as its bene-
fits became incontestable, was rapidly
adopted by other Australian colonies.
Under this legislation the state, through
officers designated for the purpose, un-
dertakes an exhaustive and careful regis-
tration of the titles to all lands with-
in its boundaries. The registration com-
pleted, a short, concise certificate is is-
sued to every landowner, and to him,
his heirs and assigns, the validity of the
title certified is guaranteed by the state
against impeachment.

Furnished with this certificate, a land-
owner who wishes to sell or mortgage
his property goes to the nearest registra-
tion office—there is one for every small
fraction of the population—and here the
register inscribes in the proper book
and on the back of the certificate the
name of the grantee, if a sale is intend-
ed, or in case of a mortgage the name
of the mortgagee and the amount of
money loaned. The transferring or in-
cumbrance of title is effected in a few
minutes, about as long as it would take
to procure the discounting of a note at a
bank.

Now for the fee. This was intended
not only to reimburse the state prop-
tionately for the original cost of regis-
tering and for the entire expense of main-
taining a complete register, but also to
provide an insurance fund, as must be
the result of the discovery of flaws in the
titles guaranteed. For each lot the
benefit was estimated and added on that
a fee of \$1.00 for each lot was charged.
But it turned out in every case where
the Torrens system was adopted that the
loss, there incurred to the state through the
facts in the titles guaranteed had been
much overestimated, while the revenue flow-
ing from the registration offices, owing to
the terrific multiplication of transac-
tions, had been as equally unestimated.
The result has been that the fee for the
transferring or incumbrance of
titles has been everywhere cut down
from shillings to pence. As things now
are an Australian can convey or mort-
gage a piece of land worth millions of
dollars in the space of five minutes and
for the price of a cigar.

Such is the method of dealing with
land titles which has been adopted by
the city and county of Chicago. The re-
sults will probably be admitted of all
Americans by the opening of the twen-
tieth century. No doubt Chicago is wide
awake to its interests, while some of its
citizens seem asleep.—New York Sun

Sedge for Paving.

Salt marsh sedge is being used as a
paving material in some sections of
Virginia and Pennsylvania. The sedge is
subjected to tremendous hydraulic
pressure and comes from the presses in
the shape of blocks. The blocks are
treated with three kinds of oil, and
when the process is completed it is said
the blocks are impervious to moisture
and will last indefinitely under the
harshest service. If salt marsh sedge is
the paving material of the future, Sa-
vannah will not have to go far away
from home to get her material. There
is enough sedge within sight of the City
Exchange tower to pave Paris.—Sav-
annah News.

We Have Reached the 70,000,000 Mark.
State censuses have been taken this
year by Massachusetts, Michigan, Wis-
consin, Iowa and Minnesota, and the ag-
gregate increase in population of these
five states since 1890 is found to be
971,880. This percentage applied to the
whole country would give an increase in
the past five years of 7,500,000, so that
it is safe to place the present population
of the United States at 70,000,000.—St.
Louis Globe-Democrat

He Keeps the Mail Rolling.

Mr. Rockefeller may be said to be in
the educational rush line.—Chicago
Post.

WALDO THEATRICALS.

They Are Looking Up Just Now—A Sur-
prise

Waldo, Nov. 22.—The John B. Neg-
rout Repertory company is organizing
here. Last night they produced "The
Firebrand" to a crowded house.

There was another pleasant surprise
party here last night. After the show
nearly sixty young folks marched to
the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John
Kramer and woke up the family and
proceeded to have a good time, which
they certainly had. The occasion was
Will Kramer's 24th birthday anniver-
sary. He is one of those young men
not often met with—a true friend, a
perfect gentleman, a loving son and we
doubt not, in time, will be a model
husband.

Quite a number of our valiant K. of
K's braved the cold yesterday to take
part in the dedication of the new K. of
K. hall and to see the degree work done
by visiting teams. They returned
rather late and no doubt enjoyed
themselves.

SICK AND CONVALESCENT.

James Welsh is sick at his home on
north Main street.

John Tallon was able to get up street
today after a week's illness.

George Frank's sickness was so se-
vere that he was moved to his home in
Crestline last night. It wasn't possible
to get him into the coach and so he
was taken on a cot in the baggage car.

Coming.

Dr. France is becoming so well and
favorably known in our community
that it is hardly necessary to men-
tion the date of his coming to
insure a large crowd at the hotel eager
to avail themselves of his superior skill.
Those who are incurable are frankly
told so. Many who have doctored for
years, even until they have given up
the cherished hope of a cure in de-
spair and resigned themselves to a mis-
erable existence are speedily and per-
manently returned to health. To those
who have become discouraged we
would say by all means visit the doc-
tor and obtain his opinion if you have
not already done so.

Dr. France will visit Marion Mon-
day, Nov. 25. Consultation free and
strictly confidential in the private par-
lor of the Kerr House, from 9 a. m. to
6 p. m. One day only.

No Such Word as Phale.

A belle of east Center street wrote
to her best fellow: "Come tonight
come without phale." He answered: "I
will be there: there is no such word as
phale." But he had to drop in at
Haven & Son's and buy a box of Gun-
ther's bon-bons before he went up.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to return our sincere thanks
to our neighbors and friends and es-
pecially to members of the G. A. R.
who kindly rendered assistance during
the long and continued sickness of our
husband and father.

Mrs. ROBERT KEND AND CHILDREN.

Eric Thanksgiving Rates.

The Erie will sell tickets at one fare
for the round trip Nov. 27 and 28, re-
turn limit Nov. 29, to all points within
100 miles of Marion.

M. E. DICKINSON, Agent.

Way.

Yeast—Why is it that young Styles
only has a "cup of soup" (soup)?
Of course he has to give 100
a little present that he does nothing
like a "cup of soup."

In the United States the peasantry
find that if a wife is a man before
her husband she will be a man will be
a husband and remain so as long as
he will live.



A delicious
dish of
OATMEAL
with the
FULL
FLAVOR
of the
BEST
selected
OATS
can only be made with

Friends' Oats

MADE OF THE
FINEST OATS
BY SPECIAL PROCESS.

YEARLY SALES 29,000,000 LBS.

MADE BY ALL GROCERS

IN 2-LB. PACKAGES.

MUSCATINE OATMEAL CO.

MUSCATINE, IOWA.

The People

Appreciate an honest effort to give them bar-
gains. All day Saturday and Monday there
was a constant stream of customers at the
Great Remodeling Sale now going on at the

Blue Front Clothing House.

Not a family in Marion or Marion county can
afford to miss this sale. All goods must be
sold before remodeling our room, and every
article in our store must go at a bargain.
Call and be convinced.

Read Some of this Week's Prices:



Men's Gray Underwear at. 15c
Men's White and Colored Flannel Underwear 25c
Men's Camel's Hair Underwear at. 33c
Men's Heavy Ribbed Fleece Underwear at. 30c
Children's Suits from. 65c up
Men's Suits from. \$2.50 up
Men's Overcoats from. \$2.75 up
Children's Overcoats from. 98c up

This space does not permit mention of the
hundreds of bargains we are offering:

Holidaying in Jewelry.

SOME PEOPLE won't buy a Christmas present until the day before Christmas. A thoughtful person will buy one while our Holiday Novelties are unbroken. The selection is easier. You have the pick of the choicest, and the prices are no greater. The store open evenings until Christmas. No charge for engraving.

TURNEY,
109 WEST
CENTER
STREET.

MARION PARAGRAPHS.

FOR RENT—A house on south Prospect street, for particulars inquire of Mrs. J. W. Smith at her home on south Main street. 313-12

FOR RENT—Good seven-room house on high street. Inquire of H. M. Sneyder at 313-12

FOR RENT—Nestle furnished rooms in modern residence, convenient to business. Terms reasonable. Inquire at store, 113 south Main street. 313-12

FOR RENT—One nicely furnished room, gas and bath. Inquire at 26 Pearl street. 313-12

FOR SALE—Good house of ten rooms, 4 miles from the court house, being acre of late George Heale, will be sold at once. Apply at office of Fred E. Goss at 313-12

FOR SALE—Handsome folding bed for rent. Cost fifty dollars, will sell at \$10. Call at 26 Farming street. 313-12

FOR SALE—New six-room house and lot vacant lot corner Bellefontaine and Windsor streets. Inquire of J. W. Smith at 157 Bellefontaine avenue. 313-12

FOR SALE—Jewelry heating stove, soft and coal burner, good as new. Can be seen at 26 north Main street. J. W. Smith. 313-12

FOR SALE—Three pleasant homes on east Main street, also two on south Main street. Inquire for rent. Call on H. W. Wright. 313-12

LOST OR STOLEN—A female, light-colored pointer, answering to the name of "Fly," Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning the same to the Oak street. 313-12

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FOR RENT—A good lot to do general work, inquire of Mrs. J. H. Snyder at 113 Church and Garden streets. 313-12

WANTED—An agent in every section to sell the best of goods, salary \$100 per month, plus commission made—experience unnecessary. Write to Soap & Manufacturing Co., Cincinnati, O. 313-12

WANTED—Hundred pounds of old rags, clean and dry, preferred. Will pay good price. Bring them to 313-12.

\$100—I want to borrow \$100, will give good security. Address box 125. 313-12

GATHERING THEM IN.

MEMBERS OF THE BOWERY GANG WHO HAD POCKETBOOKS TO BURN.

The Police have a busy day Friday Hunting Down Young Fellows suspected of Stealing a Grip—A Lock at the Prison Tampered With.

Things were pretty well stirred up in police court Friday afternoon, when four of those who are identified with what has become known as the Bowery gang were brought in and locked up on the charge of stealing and carrying away a valise containing wearing apparel and about thirty-six pocketbooks to the amount of \$110.

Louis Snyder, commonly known as Doodle, was the first to be brought in. Snyder has served a workhouse sentence and is pretty well known in police circles. He does not deny that he had five or six of the pocketbooks in his possession, but states that on Tuesday morning he was at the junction, and there met Harry Smith, a fair-ground faker, from Dayton, who presented him with the pocketbooks.

Patrick Barrett was brought in next. He claims that he did not steal the books, but that one of them was given him by Snyder and he afterward sold it for twenty-five cents. Barrett tried to gain an entrance to the White Elephant saloon the other day, but was frightened away, and owned up to Constable Jones that he did it. This may be brought against him. This is his first offense.

Jimmie Powell was next brought in. Jimmie is the boy who was arrested several years ago and made his escape. He then left here and was not seen until last year when he returned to Marion. While away he crossed the ocean. He claimed that he knew nothing whatever of the matter and was released, with the promise that he would remain away from the police station.

Patrick McCue, who was recently released from the workhouse, was the last arrested. He claims that Snyder gave him the pocketbook in a saloon Tuesday noon, and told him that it had been given him by a man at the fair. The books had been mostly disposed of, but the police have located a number of them.

William Fox was taken to the city prison at a late hour Friday night. In investigating the matter the police found where Fox had had three of the pocketbooks. He denied any knowledge of the matter whatever, and said he did not know they were stolen and that he had not had a pocketbook in his possession, for he had no use for them. It is known, however, where he disposed of three. This accounts for nine of the pocketbooks and Snyder only claimed to have had five or six in his possession when making presents to his Bowery friends. Other arrests may follow before the case is heard.

Three of the men were held until Eli Gutman, the owner of the valise, could be brought here, and then the boys will be given a trial. Gutman put the matter in the hands of the Pinkerton detective agency, and Marshal Blain and the police force have received a congratulatory telegram from W. H. Pinkerton.

It was discovered this week that an attempt had been made by some prisoner at the city prison to get out, or he had had assistance from his friends. The locks of the doors have been tampered with, that is an attempt has been made to pry them open with some kind of an iron instrument from the outside. Marshal Blain is investigating the matter and will endeavor to find out the source of the mischief.

The police were never kept so busy as they are at present. An officer was kept at the city prison all night Friday, as it was feared that an attempt might be made to liberate some of the prisoners. The tramps give a great deal of trouble and the force is doing some pretty good work.

Marshal Blain and the police are much annoyed by the complaints made of boys jumping on street cars. The cars, in passing the school houses, are always running quite fast and the boys will jump on them, ride a few feet and then jump off. Several of them have been thrown, but as yet no serious accident has resulted. Not only at the school houses, but all over town this is practiced. The motormen can not avoid it and the police do not like to make arrests, but it has been decided to arrest every boy found jumping on and off the cars. The police have been ordered to make the arrests, and Marshal Blain will give the matter some attention himself.

Six tramps came in Friday night and asked for lodging at the prison. They were given room on the shelf at the Carlos and "said nothing but sawed wood."

Underwear and gloves are our specialties. Martin & Wiley.

Received Today.
200 barrels choice and fancy winter apples will be sold cheap by the barrel 11312-wk I. B. CARLISLE, S.E. corner Center and State Sts.

Stallion To Be Sold.
Great Eastern, the stallion, is to be sold on the public square of Marion, November 30. For particulars inquire of C. B. Merchant. 307-tf-wk

German Group Remedy
Pleasant, prompt, safe, a sure cure.

The World's Fair Tests
showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

A MARKED SUCCESS.

Was the Chrysanthemum Show at the Presbyterian Church.

It is easy to believe that the people of Marion love the beautiful after the fact has been so thoroughly demonstrated as it was Friday night at the Presbyterian church when \$40 was taken in at the door for admission to the display of chrysanthemums made by F. E. Blake.

The chrysanthemum sale given by the Presbyterians last year was a success but the present affair was in all ways superior to it and it would be hard in any way to excel, using local material, the entertainment of Friday night.

The flowers shown were most beautiful and some of the most rare specimens known were exhibited and sold and the sale was as remarkable for the quantity of blossoms presented as for their beauty and quality.

Not the least pleasing feature of the evening was the musical program. The Marion Grand orchestra rendered a delightful program of instrumental music while the lovers of vocal music were enjoyably entertained by a quartet composed of Mrs. J. F. McNeal, Miss Fish, Mr. F. W. Fish and Mr. George H. Uhler, and the solo work of Mr. Uhler.

The entertainment was a most decided success, more of a success, in fact, than its projectors in their wildest hopes had anticipated, and it set a high mark to which the succeeding annual fairs must attain.

ACCIDENT AT MORRAL.

Mrs. Smith and Son Are Seriously Injured in a Runaway.

Mrs. Silas Smith and her son were both seriously injured Thursday. They reside on the farm of Ezekiel Brown, east of Morral, and Thursday afternoon she hitched up a gentle family horse to drive to the village. They had gone a short distance when the animal began to kick. The lady endeavored to stop the animal but could not and it commenced to run.

The horse finally threw the buggy from a stone culvert and the lady and the boy were both thrown out. The woman was pretty badly injured and the boy is still unable to walk. Dr. Dicks was called and found that the woman had sustained a fracture to one of her legs and the boy's ankle was severely sprained.

NOW, HOW'S THIS?

Marion's Going To Have a New Erie Depot in the Spring, Tra-la.

A paragraph in the Star in regard to the uncleanliness of the depots in Marion fell before the eyes of Superintendent Allen, of the Erie.

Now everyone in Marion is fully aware of what kind of a depot the Erie has here, and it would not make much difference whether it was clean or not, no one is going to stay in it unless they have to, but still the employees have been keeping it as clean as possible here of late. Mr. Allen, however, when he read the paragraph sent word back here that the old car must be kept clean, and that in the early spring, when the blue birds sing, Marion should have a brand new depot.

Bully for Allen.

A Young Lady Dies.

Miss Maggie Dohr died at the home of Thomas Schott, in Big Island township, this morning at 4:30 o'clock, aged 20 years.

The young lady is a resident of Akron, O., and was a domestic in this city until a short time ago, when her sister, Mrs. Schott, was stricken with typhoid fever. She then went to her home to take care of her. Before Mrs. Schott had recovered, Miss Maggie was stricken, and after being sick for two weeks, passed away.

The funeral will occur from Pleasant Hill at 11 o'clock Sunday morning and the remains will be laid at rest there.

Death at Big Island.

James Britton died at his home, west of Big Island, Friday evening at 8 o'clock, after a five weeks' siege of typhoid fever.

Deceased was 63 years of age and leaves a wife and four grown up children. He was well known over the county as a prosperous farmer, and had numerous friends and acquaintances.

The funeral will occur from the Pleasant Hill church Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Underwear and gloves are our specialties. Martin & Wiley.

A Child Enjoys.

The pleasant flavor, gentle action and soothing effects of Syrup of Figs when in need of a laxative, and if the father or mother be constipated or bilious, the most gratifying results follow its use; so that it is the best family remedy known and every family should have a bottle on hand.

Attention Ladies of the Grand Army.

Marion Circle, No. 29, L. of G. A. R. meets in Masonic block, Monday, at 2 p. m.

There is new work to be practiced and it is desirable that every member be present. SECRETARY.

The Witches of Salem.

Are matters of history. HIRAM'S WITCH HAZEL CREAM cures chapped hands and faces. For sale by D. M. ODAFFER & Co., Pharmacists. 308112

M. E. Choir Notice.

All members of Epworth choir are requested to be at practice promptly at 7 o'clock this evening. J. E. WADDELL.

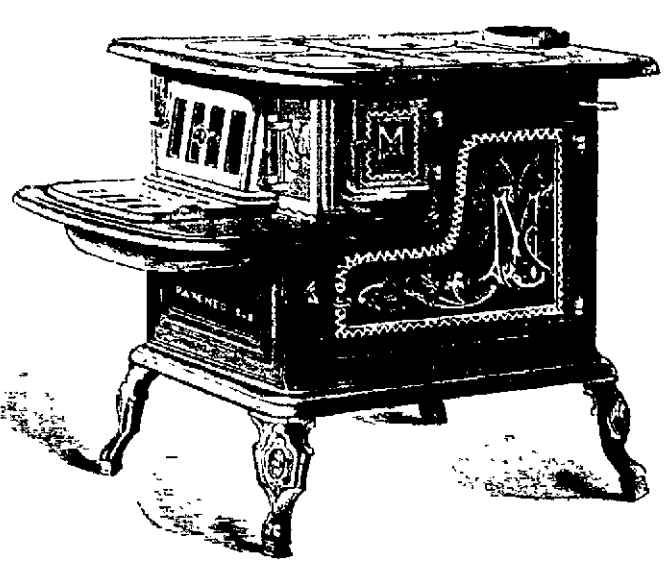
The old woman sweeping the cobwebs from the sky will be at the Presbyterian church next Tuesday evening. 112

HOW ABOUT THAT STOVE?

You know very well you can't get through the winter without burning a new heater or cook stove, so why don't you come in and let us show you a new stock of

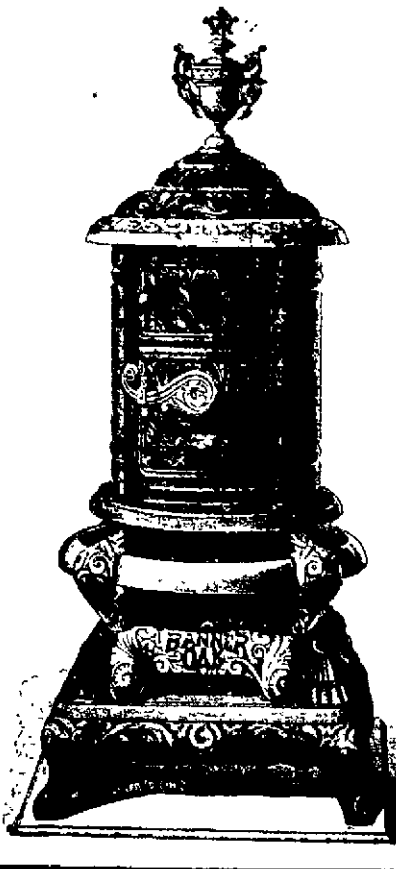
GOLD COIN DOUBLE HEATERS, SINGLE HEATERS AND RANGES

As any exclusive stove store can display, we never dreamed we could do such a business, but we've got the stove and at the right price, so all we ask is to change it for you.



Credit

IF YOU WANT IT.



Just a Word About

Christmas Tide.

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STORIES OF THE DAY.

Some Humorous Stories of Life on and
Off the Bench.

Judge Jerome C. Pentzel of Nebraska was a mountaineer on the subject of tax titles, and while on the bench of the land court resorted to every conceivable plan to overthrow a title protracted upon a tax sale. In an action of ejectment pending in his court the plaintiff relied upon a tax title, and when he introduced his deed in evidence the judge scrutinized it closely and found the land described as "S. E. qr. of N. E. qr. of S. 3. T. 60." and the following colloquy took place:

"Mr. Counsel, what do the letters S. E. in this deed stand for?"

"Southeast, if your honor please."

"Southeast, southeast? What evidence is there before the court to show that they mean any such thing?"

"The letters S. E. are usually used by surveyors to designate the point of the compass."

"How is this court to know that they were not intended to represent 'second edition,' or 'something extra,' or any other words to which the initials may be applicable?"

"The point raised by your honor is new, and I am not prepared to give any additional explanation."

"The objection to the introduction of the deed is sustained upon the ground of uncertainty in the description of the premises. Plaintiff nonsuited."

In Judge Gibbons' court the other day an old farmer from De Kalb county was the defendant in a suit for a piece of land, and his lawyer, ex-Judge Jones, had been making a strong fight for it. When the plaintiff's attorney began his argument, he said:

"May it please the court, I take the ground—"

The old farmer jumped up and sang out: "What's that? What's that?"

The judge called him down.

"May it please the court," began the attorney, not noticing the interruption.

"I take the ground—"

"No, I'll be damned if you do either," shouted the old farmer. "Anyhow not until the jury decides the case."

In Henry county, Ill., some years ago a young woman who was suing her former sweetheart for breach of promise was put on the witness stand and the lawyers as usual began making all sorts of inquisitive interrogatories.

"You say," remarked one, "that the defendant frequently sat very close to you?"

"Yes sir," was the reply, with a hectic flush.

"How close?"

"Close enough so's one cheer was all the sittin' room we needed."

"And you say he put his arm around your waist?"

"No, I didn't."

"What did you say, then?"

"I said he put both arms around me."

"Then what?"

"He hugged me."

"Very hard?"

"Yep, he did. So hard that I came purty near hollerin' right out."

"Why didn't you holler?"

"Cause—"

"That's no answer. Be explicit, please. Because what?"

"Cause I was afraid he'd stop."

The following extracts give us a glimpse of some of the singular punishments in vogue in old New England:

"In 1639 Dorothy Brown, for beating her husband, is ordered to be bound and chained to a post."

"In 1643 the assistants order three Stoughton men to sit in the stocks on lecture day for traveling on the Sabbath."

"In 1651 Anna, wife of George Ellis, was sentenced to be publicly whipped for reproaching the magistrates."

"In 1658, for slandering the elders, she had a cluft stick put on her tongue for half an hour."

Judge John Gibbons has more than usual judicial appreciation of humor, and he furnishes an illustration of rustic intelligence recently occurring upon a trial before him. The case was a damage suit. A country lad, 17 or 18 years old, a son of the plaintiff, was put on the stand to testify as to a line fence. He gave his testimony in so low a tone of voice that Judge Gibbons said to him:

"Speak so these gentlemen can hear you," pointing to the jury.

"Why," said the witness, with a beaming smile, "are these men interested in pop's case?"

An amusing incident occurred in Judge Neely's court the other day. A solemn faced little woman had been called by the defense to establish an alibi. She had testified that the defendant had been at her house during the time the offense was committed and that others were present also, among them a Mr. Delaney, when the following examination ensued:

"Was Mr. Delaney a neighbor of yours?"

"Yes sir."

"Is he here?"

"No, sir."

"Do you know where he is?"

"No, sir."

"Is he dead?"

"Yes, sir."

Judge Jeremiah Black for a long time wore a black wig. Having donned a new one, he met Senator Bayard of Delaware, who thus accosted him:

"Why, Black, how young you look!"

"You are not so gray as I am, and you must be 20 years older."

"Humph!" replied the judge. "Good reason. Your hair comes by descent and I got mine by purchase."

An Indiana judge in instructing a jury said: "Gentlemen, you have heard the evidence. The indictment charges the prisoner with stealing a jackass. This offense seems to be becoming a common one. The time has come when a must be stopped. Otherwise, gentlemen, none of you will be safe."—Chicago Post.

A Doctor and Disease.

THE PLAIN TRUTH BY A WELL KNOWN
PHYSICIAN ABOUT THE KIDNEYS
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How to Cure Blood Diseases by Curing
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The sick kidneys can be made well with Dr. Hobb's Sparagus Kidney Pills, and this is what Dr. John Dobson says about it:

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Kidney troubles, diabetes, pain in the back, sleeplessness and all that train of disorders, were relieved in a few doses, and sooner or later cured.

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I have now used Dr. Hobb's Sparagus Kidney Pills some time, and have decided to use them constantly. I know of no preparation which has such immediate and lasting curative power over all diseases caused by impure or vitiated blood.

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A Tramping Made Him Happy.

Just at dusk I turned aside to a squatter's cabin to ask shelter for the night, and as the door stood wide open and there was a light on the table I saw the two inmates face they knew of my presence. There were only two—man and wife—and she had him down on the floor, with both hands in his hair. As I knocked on the door she looked up and said:

"Howdy, stranger—cum right in."

I entered and sat down on a stool near the door, and the man turned his head toward me and said:

"Howdy, stranger—be at home."

"I wanted to stay over night," I said, "but being—"

"To 'kin stay, sah," interrupted his wife.

"Far shore, yo' kin," added the husband.

"May I ask if there is any trouble here?"

The wife got a fresh grip with her fingers and drew a long breath and didn't reply, but the husband said:

"No, sah—not now. There was trouble a spell back, but it's all over now."

"Then yo' acknowledge?" queried the wife.

"I do. I'm a wolloped man. I jest layed out that I could lick yo' in three jerks, but I was disappointed."

"And that won't be no mo' fussin'?"

"No mo'. Let go and git up."

The woman arose and began to prepare supper, and the man went out to cut some firewood, and nothing further was said about the matter that night.

Next morning, as he walked a mile or so with me, he casually observed:

"Stranger, a great bruden has bin rolled off my back, and I feel better."

"How is that?"

"Why, for the last ten years I've bin braggin' that I could lick any three men in this country, an' last evenin' the ole woman thumped blazes outer me in five minutes. I hain't got to do no mo' blowin' in an braggin', and I'm feelin' as happy as a frog arter a thunder shower!"—Detroit Free Press.

Explaining Himself.

Judge Henry Howland tells the story of the embarrassed but generous hearted young man who felt called upon to relieve the sudden cessation of drawing room conversation, which oftentimes overtakes even the most brilliant social circles. With the blushes surrounding his cheeks he timidly turned to the daughter of the hostess, who was not present in the room, and inquired:

"Ho-how is yo-your mo-mo-mother?"

"N-not th-that I gi-give a—n, ba-but it ma-makes a—talk."—New Haven Register.

A THWARTED CRIME.

A Curious Tale, the Scene of Which is Laid in India.

An Indian up country paper tells a curious tale. A rich lady, with her two children, both infants, was going, it is said, in her own "ekka" from Rannagar to a place in the center of the Bar tract. The driver was a trustworthy servant of the family, and it was for this reason that the lady had not divested herself of the ornaments she usually wore. But the sight of the jewels was too much for him, and at an exceptionally lonely spot in that lonely country he suddenly asked his mistress to hand him her valuables. On her suspecting his real designs and hesitating the miscreant showed himself in his real colors, and made her and her little ones, who could barely toddle about, go down. The horrible thought that was working in his brain, that of hiding his crime by means of murder, had given him a face a sardonic look, which made the poor woman tremble.

Then the fiend bound her hand and foot, and informed her that he would first kill her children and then do her to death. By her earnest entreaties she prevailed over him to begin with her first. He had an ax in his hand, with which he aimed a blow at her, but the head being loose it flew away and fell a few paces off, the hand only remaining in his grasp. He stepped into the grass to look for it and disappeared behind a mound. She waited not certain doom with all her nerves on the strain. She gradually fell into a swoon, and when she came round the first thing she saw was her husband bending over her and her babies crying and tugging at her clothes.

After she had gone a nameless uneasiness seized her husband. He could not reason away his vague fears, try as he would, and at last he mounted his horse and followed the "ekka." He had proceeded but a few miles when the dreadful sight of his wife and children lying bound up with cords on the ground met his eyes. And the story that his wife told him congealed his blood with horror. They both then, drawn by an irresistible curiosity, went toward the direction that the miscreant had taken to pick up his ax, and think of their surprise when they saw his corpse already lying, blue, putrid and bloated, the flies buzzing over it in clouds. Retribution had come in the shape of a "karunda" of the deadly variety known as "khaki," rare even in these smoke-infested parts, whose bite instantaneously paralyzes the victim and decomposes the body in an hour.—London Globe.

The Problem in Launching a Ship.

Impressive as the launch of a great vessel always is, it nevertheless seems a simple matter. All there is to do is to build two toboggan slides under the ship, raise her from the supports on which she has been resting, put a lot of tallow on the slides, and when you are ready, saw loose the thick plank that holds the ship by the nose and let her glide into the water. You must have the wine to christen her, and a crowd to cheer her, and some tugs to catch her and bring her back to her pier; but all these are mere details, and it would seem as if any ship could almost launch herself if she had half a chance.

A launch is simply taking a ship from the side of a stream down to the bank and dropping her in the water where she belongs. This involves the task of lifting a mass of iron, in a ship like the St. Louis, of about 7,000 tons, and the work of lowering it carefully for a distance of from 20 to 30 feet. All this has to be done in the space of about 30 seconds, during which the vessel moves nearly 600 feet. At once you can see that this is an enormous task. It involves the greatest responsibility in a short time that the shipbuilder meets. There is no opportunity to correct errors. Every mechanical appliance must work to perfection, and the manual details must be as nicely adjusted as the parts of a watch. You can launch a vessel, as you can build one, on the rule of thumb or the hit or miss plan, and you may not come to grief; but it is best to put all these things in charge of that master spirit called science, which has done so much for our physical advancement in this world, for then you know that it will be done properly.—"Launch, ing a Great Vessel," by Franklin Matthews, in St. Nicholas.

Can He Be Bought.

Just outside of the Grand Central depot a reporter met an Adirondack guide last night. It was the guide's first visit to New York, and he had a little piece of advice that he wanted published. It was based on his own experience. "Been slonking around all day," he said, "and goin' but your payments is hard. It's harder'n tramping over corduroy. I tell you my boots hurt me bad. Do you know what I did? No? Well, now, here is something for you to tell your friends, and it'll do them good. I went to the nearest tavern and bought a goblet of gin. I poured half in one boot and half in the other, and then, when I had sloshed around a little while, they didn't hurt me. I learned that trick when I was a boy and drove cattle up in Canada."—New York Sun.

The Difference Between Two Poets.

Claudius, on being asked what was the difference between him and Klopstock, replied, "Klopstock says, 'Thou who art my inferior, and yet my equal, approach hither, and, stooping to the ground, relieve me of the burden of these dust begrimed nether integuments,' whereas I simply say, 'Johann, come and pull off my boots.'"—Chronik der Zeit.

The Roll Call.

Bellorini has been appointed inspector of an educational establishment. Entering upon his functions, he addressed the pupils as follows:

"Attention, young gentlemen. I will now call over the names, but as the old method takes too long I will simplify it thus: All those who are absent raise their hands."—Motto per Riders.

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The children will be delighted with "Little Miss Muffet sitting on a tuffet," with dolls, etc. 1-12
The celebrated Murray City lamp coal for sale by Linsley & Lawrence. Telephone 8. 42-11
Leave your order with Luellen Bros. for a nice turkey, chicken, duck or goose for your Thanksgiving roast. 310-15
Men, and ladies, note this fact, that when you buy underwear of us you will get first-class goods at bottom prices. 313-12 SEFFNER BROS.
The Queen of Hearts will furnish you tarts and a great many fancy articles made in the shape of hearts at the Presbyterian church Tuesday evening, November 26. 1-12
If you will go to the big grocery store, corner east Center and State streets, you will save fully 10 per cent. on your grocery and provisions. This is something you should consider, as it is a matter of interest to you. 313-12 W. K. CARLISLE, Wholesale and Retail Cash Grocer.

Arrangements have been perfected whereby a special car will be run from this city Friday next, leaving the Hoeking Valley depot at 8:30 a. m., and arriving at Tiffin without change of cars at 9:53 a. m., at \$1.35 for the round trip. Although the occasion is the twenty-third annual meeting of the Northwestern Ohio Teachers' association others are invited to take advantage of the low rates to attend this meeting of one of the largest branches of the state association. 1

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

The People's rink will open for skating on Thursday afternoon and a dance is to be given on Wednesday evening by the orchestra.
Contractor Cratt raised the roof of the Y. M. C. A. building today some 9 inches, where it had sunk, by putting heavy iron supports under it.
A large number from this place will go to Galion next week to attend the Catholic fair. The ladies of St. Mary's will give a fair here, it is expected, about the holidays.
The funeral services of Otto Johnson were held at his late home, on north Main street today, conducted by Rev. A. Skidmore, of the Christian church. The remains were taken to Bucyrus for burial.
Frank Berringer now has control of the grocery house formerly owned by Stull Bros. The business was arranged Friday afternoon and Frank was greeting his friends this morning in his place of business.
A start has been made on a new well at the brewery. The new well will be and eight-inch one and is to be quite deep. The water is all right, but there is not enough of it in case of an emergency. The plant is working in nice order.
Canton Marion, No. 68, I. O. O. F., is arranging to give another entertainment in the I. O. O. F. hall. The last entertainment netted the encampment over fifty dollars and a series of entertainments is to be given to raise money for the I. O. O. F. encampment here next year.

Underwear and gloves are our specialties. Martin & Wiley.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. W. H. Spragg, of LaRue, was in the city today.
Charles Monnette was here from Bucyrus Friday.
Miss Mamie Christian is the guest of friends at Shelby.
J. J. McNeff, of LaRue, was in the city this forenoon.
Mrs. George Harlan is the guest of friends in Columbus.
Sheriff Rice made a business trip to Prospect this forenoon.
Charles Husted, of Caledonia, was in the city today on business.
Dr. McCloud was at Marysville today on professional business.
W. H. Walsh has returned home from a business trip to Galion.
Miss Bridget Ginley, of Cleveland, is the guest of relatives in this city.
Rev. Alexander Bartley has returned from an extended visit at Washington, D. C.
Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Tully, of Des Moines, Ia., are guests of E. Huber and family.
Miss Jessie Ross was over from Caledonia Friday, attending the funeral of Otto Johnson.
Attorney L. E. Myers left this afternoon for LaRue and will spend Sunday with his parents.
Mrs. Hirsch has returned to her home in Pittsburg, after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Strelitz.
Mrs. Jennie Keener was called by telegram to see her sister, who is lying seriously ill at her home in Chicago.
Miss Myrtle Worrell, of south State street, is visiting among friends in Upper Sandusky to remain over Sunday.
M. B. Dickerson was in attendance at the Shriner's meeting at Columbus Friday night. William Klinefelter accompanied him.
Mayor and Mrs. C. J. Nichols arrived home today from a ten days' visit at Springville, N. Y. Mr. Nichols' mother returned with him and will share his home.
Cardington Independent: Capt. Fred Iselb, of Marion, was in Cardington last Friday making the acquaintance of brother Odd Fellows in the interest of his candidacy as representative to the grand lodge.
St. Paul's Choir.
Choir meeting at St. Paul's church this (Saturday) evening at 6:45 o'clock sharp. A large attendance requested. All who can help are urged to do so. Mr. Vincent, of Delaware, will direct the choir, beginning this evening.
J. W. ARMSTRONG, Rector.
For Rent.
Hall on 3d floor and offices on 2d floor of Fisher block.
C. C. FISHER.
The old women who live on nothing but victuals and drink, will serve you with ices, home-made candies, chocolate and other delicacies, at the Presbyterian church next Tuesday afternoon and evening.

GOLD PENS

For both ladies and gentlemen. Coarse, medium or fine, in long, short or stub nibs. Fit in any style of holder to suit.

Fountain Pens.

We have four different styles of fountain pens and all of these as well as all our other pens are fully guaranteed.

D. M. Odaffer & Co.

THE FIRST CASE

On the Tax Inquirers Before the County Auditor.
The first case by the tax inquirers for the collection of omitted taxes came up before Auditor Guthery Friday, the case in point being against Adolph Barron and Solomon Oppenheimer, as executors of Henrietta Barron, late of this county, deceased.
It was but a small case, only \$3,400 being omitted from the duplicate, but at a rate of 24 1/2 mills, the amount of tax due on this would be \$102.48 had the returns been voluntarily corrected, as has been the custom with all others called before the inquirers. This they refused to do and Auditor Guthery issued a citation and on hearing the matter added 50 per cent. penalty, making the amount \$148.91 to be paid into the treasury, together with the costs of the hearing.
Many cases of omitted taxes are being brought up but they only get into print when the matter comes up for trial as in this case.
J. O. U. A. M. Notice.
All members of LeGrand Council, No. 329, are requested to meet at their hall, Sunday, November 24, at 9:30 o'clock, to attend the Thanksgiving services at the United Brethren church in a body. By order of Council.
Oysters with accompaniments to make up a first-class supper, will be served by the Presbyterian ladies next Tuesday evening for the small sum of 15 cents. Business men served promptly at any hour, from 5 o'clock on during the evening. 1-12
Ladies' and misses' union suits only 50 cents per suit at Seffner's. 313-12

Many People

Will take advantage of our Underwear Sale before the store closes Saturday night. Will you be one of them?



In Splendid Shape...

Constant arrivals of new Jackets and Capes Place our Wrap department in very attractive form for Saturday and Thanksgiving Week.

Colder Weather Increases the Interest in Fur Garments.

Warner & Edwards.

UHLER, PHILLIPS & CO.

Housekeeping LINENS!

A Sale That Is Very Special And Worthy of Attention!

Beginning Saturday AND LASTING ALL NEXT WEEK.

This sale will offer the rarest opportunities of the season to purchase Housekeeping Linens of the highest grades, bought direct from the manufacturers at Dumfries, Scotland, at very much cheapened prices. Permit us to submit some of the particulars of this memorable reduction sale, from which you can easily see the unequaled advantages offered the purchaser:

Bleached Scotch double Damask, maiden hair fern pattern, \$1.40 yd., quality 2.00, 72 in. wide.
Bleached Scotch double Damask, clover leaf pattern, \$1.25 yd., quality 1.75, 72 in. wide.
Bleached Scotch double Damask, Lily of Valley pattern, \$1.00 yd., quality 1.50, 72 in. wide.
Bleached Scotch double Damask, Fleur D'Is pattern, \$1.00 yd., quality 1.50, 72 in. wide.
Bleached Scotch double Damask, Fanny pattern, \$1.00 yd., quality 1.50, 72 in. wide.
Bleached Scotch double Damask, 4-Leaf Clover pattern, \$1.00 yd., quality 1.50, 72 in. wide.
Bleached Scotch double Damask, Ivy pattern, \$1.00 yd., quality 1.50, 72 in. wide.
Bleached Scotch double Damask, Snow Drop pattern, \$1.00 yd., quality 1.50, 72 in. wide.
Heavy bleached Scotch 68 in. Damask, Oak Leaf pattern, 75c yard, quality 1.00.
Heavy bleached Scotch 68 in. Damask, Ox-eye Daisy pattern, 75c yard, quality 1.00.
Heavy bleached Scotch 68 in. Damask, Irish Thistle pattern, 75c yard, quality 1.00.
Heavy bleached Scotch 68 in. Damask, Fern pattern, 75c yard, quality 1.00.
Heavy bleached Scotch 68 in. Damask, Snow Drop pattern, 75c yard, quality 1.00.
Real Irish Damask, bleached, 66 in. Maple Leaf pattern, 50c yard, quality 75c.
Real Irish Damask, bleached, 66 in. Bachelor Button pattern, 50c yard, quality 75c.
Real Irish Damask, bleached, 66 in. Carnation patterns, 50c yard, quality 75c.
Real Irish Damask, bleached, 66 in. Orchid patterns, 50c yard, quality 75c.
British Damasks, bleached, modern patterns, heavy weight, at 45c, 40c, 35c and 29c yard, suitable for the New Dining Tables.
Heavy half and unbleached Damasks, choice patterns, 72 in. 65c, 70 in. 60c, 68 in. 50c and 66 in. 40c.
Unbleached Damasks 20c, 25c and 30c per yard, 58 to 60 inches wide.
Turkey red Damasks, imported strictly fast colors, 50c, 40c, 35c, 30c and 25c per yard.
Cheaper ones if you care for them.
Patterns of fine Damask 2, 2 1/2 and 3 yards long, bordered all around, quality same as fine goods by the yard--napkins to match, at 85c, \$1.00 and \$1.50 per yard--new designs.
Napkins 3-4 size, to match all fine goods, at special prices. Napkins 3-4 size, odd lots, some broken dozens, at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00 dozen. Hotel and Restaurant 1-2 bleached Napkins 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 dozen.
Towels--50 dozen, special for this sale, piled out and ticketed at 25c each or \$2.75 dozen.
Crashes--Bleached Crash, plaid, 12 1-2c quality 10c, 15c quality 12 1-2c.
Crashes--Brown, 8c quality pure flax 5c, 10c quality 8c, 12 1-2c quality 10c.
Bath Towels--Turkish bleached at 5c, 10c, 12 1-2c, 15c, and 25c--very special.
Marseilles Bed Spreads--One case of 75 especially for this sale, \$5.00 quality \$2.98.
Marseilles Bed Spreads--One case of 75 especially for this sale, \$2.00 quality 99c.
Stamped Linens--New line for the Holidays. Everything that is new.
Doilies--special, at 5c and 10c. We show one of the best stocks of Art Silks in Ohio.

No doubt it's the desire of every lady in Marion to have a new pattern of table linen for Thanksgiving Day or Christmas. The opportunity greets you.

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MARION'S BARGAIN CENTER.

HEROIC UNCEASING EFFORTS

Bring the grand result of this great and growing business. Determined to yet achieve triumphs still greater, we keep but a single object in view

Serving The Public So Well.

Can You Doubt It After Looking Over the Bargains Here Offered:

HOSIERY, UNDERWEAR.

Ladies' Marino Pants and Vests, the 50c kind. 25c
Gents' Shirts, only our best seller, odd sizes, the half dollar quality, yours for. 25c
Gents' All-wool Scarlet Shirts and Drawers, a few left, at. 25c
25 dozen All-wool, Ladies' Black Hose, our special price. 20c
Another lot of Children's Heavy Cotton-ribbed Hose, our price. 19c
Odd lot Misses' Pants, sizes 1 to 8, former price 50c, will close at. 25c

Saturday Morning Only.

Ladies' Flannel Skirts, all-wool, full size, our price. 59c
300 pairs Home-made Sox, 2 pairs, Saturday night, for. 25c

BLANKETS.

Just received another case, the kind, you pay 75c elsewhere for, our price. 50c

COMFORTABLES.

Home-made Comfortables. 1.50

NIGHT DRESSES.

Outing Flannel Night Dresses, for Ladies, the \$1.00 kind. 75c
Gents' Night Dresses. 1.00

PIQUE KID GLOVES

In Tans, Browns, English Red and Black, worth \$1.50, our price. 1.00

UMBRELLAS.

Gents' 28-inch Paragon Frame, Steel Rod, Natural Handle. 98c

DRESS GOODS.

50c, 45c and 30c Fancies, all wool. 25c
at. 19c
Another lot all wool Fancies at. 19c

MILLINERY.

We have put Sailors, Walking Hats and Tams on one table. The \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1 and 75c kind, your choice. 39c and 69c

Trimmed Hats.

\$6.00, \$7.00 and \$8.00 Hats all one price. 5.00

WRAPS.

On the second floor we're offering swell, All-Satin Lined Kersey Jackets, which are usually marked \$10. 5.98
Still finer ones, usually quoted by others at from \$12.50 to \$15, at. 10
Handsome Clay Worsted Double Capes elegant Astrakhan Cloth Capes, new things, they have been selling at \$8.50 and \$10.00; we now offer at. 5.98
On the third floor we offer good, warm Jackets, really elegant material, at \$1.50, \$2.50 and \$5.00, but are almost afraid to tell you that we have 'em as low as. 75c

In a few days our Mr. D. A. Frank will return from New York City with a full line of Holiday Goods, which will be a pleasure for us to show you, and a greater pleasure for you to see.

D. A. FRANK & CO.